



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

Sullivan et al.

FOR

IMPROVED MULTI-LAYER

GOLF BALL

SERIAL NO.

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R. Gordon

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE **BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from a decision of the primary Examiner mailed March 13, 2000 finally rejecting claims 1 and 3-8.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. STATUS OF APPLICANT

X This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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I hereby certify that this NOTICE OF APPEAL is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on

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2. FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

X other than a small entity \$300.00small entity \$150.00

3. EXTENSION OF TERM

X Request for Extension of Time with required fee is attached.

4. TOTAL FEES DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal Fee:

\$300.00

5. FEE PAYMENT

Attached is a check in the amount of \$300.00

If any additional extension and/or fee is required this is a request therefor and charge Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully Submitted,

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